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PATENT  
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

BOIS

Continuation of

Serial No.: 09/463,411

Group Art Unit: 3727

Filed: August 30, 2001

Examiner: R. HYLTON

For: A STACK OF BAGS WITH SLIDEWAY-AND-CURSOR CLOSURES

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Assistant Commissioner  
of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to the examination based on the merits, please  
amend the captioned application as follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Please amend the title throughout the application,  
original declaration excepted to read:

--A STACK OF BAGS HAVING CURSORS INITIALED POSITIONED  
OFFSET FROM EACH OTHER--

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-7 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend claims 8 and 9 as follows: